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Application of: Wang et al.

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Determination of FK506

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PETITION FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136(a), applicant respectfully petitions for a Two month extension of time to file a response to the Office Action dated September. The new time for filing such response will be February 15, 2006, extended pursuant to 37 CFR §§1.136(a) and 1.17(a).

Please charge Deposit Account No. 04-0010 for Four Hundred Fifty dollars and no/100 (\$450.00) for the extension of time fee. An original plus two copies of this letter are enclosed for accounting purposes. If any other charges are incurred or credited, please charge Deposit Account shown above.

Respectfully submitted,

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